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## **Senate Republicans unveil plan to battle aquatic nuisance species in the Great Lakes**

- Who:** Sen. Patty Birkholz, R-Saugatuck Township; Senate Majority Leader Ken Sikkema, R-Wyoming; Andy Buchsbaum, National Wildlife Federation; Sam Washington, Michigan United Conservation Clubs; Rich Bowman, Trout Unlimited; Joel Brammeier, Lake Michigan Federation
- What:** Press conference to unveil legislation creating a multi-state coalition to battle aquatic nuisance species in the Great Lakes
- When:** Monday, March 14  
2:30 p.m.
- Where:** Eberhard Center, 2nd floor atrium  
Grand Valley State University  
301 W. Fulton St., Grand Rapids
- Briefing:** The senators and their guests will be announcing the introduction of landmark legislation to address one of the most significant threats to the health of the Great Lakes.

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